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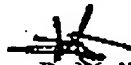
REMARKS

Applicants have cancelled claims 112, 120, 126, 128, 137, 165, 213, 275, 290, 302, 305, 306 and have amended claims 122, 123 and 149 as indicated. Claims 105-111, 114, 116-119, 122-125, 129-133, 135-136, 141-143, 145, 149-157, 159-164, 166-169, 171, 175, 178-186, 191-194, 199-202, 207-210, 212, 214-216, 218-241, 243-249, 251-262, 264-274, 277-284, 289, 293-299, 301, 304, 308 and 309 are presently pending in this application.

The Office Action rejected certain claims under 35 U.S.C. 112, second paragraph, as allegedly being indefinite for failing to particularly point out and distinctly claim subject matter which Applicants regard as the invention. In response, Applicants have implemented amendments to address the 35 U.S.C. 112 concerns.

In view of the above, Applicants submit that the application is now in condition for allowance, and an early indication of same is requested. The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned with any questions

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